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ANOTHER BOASTFUL CLAIM EXPOSED.

The Star Cannot Verify Its Statement, and Is Therefore a Silly Braggart.

Wednesday the Star stated that its circulation reached 821 per cent of all the occupied houses in Washington, which is a claim as false as it is absurd and as absurd as anything lacking sense could possibly be. At the time of the publication of the delinquent tax list for 1894 it was estimated at the District Building that there were 50,000 occupied houses in the city of Washington, If the entire circulation of the Star were delivered to occupied houses it would require a daily average of 41,250 to place a single copy in 82% per cent of the number of houses on record in the Commissioners' office, and as the S:ar only claims in its last sworn statement a daily average circulation of 31,547 it is difficult to see how it can make that number go around.

To make the falsity of the Star's boastful claim still more apparent it should be remembered that nearly one-half the circulation of every daily newspaper is absorbed by street and news-stand sales, and suburban and mail and exchange lists, a large proportion of which never e ters the homes of resident citizens. But admitting that 20,-000 of the Star's circulation reaches the occupied houses of Washington, it will be seen that its boast must be cut in twain to stand the test of investigation.

The truth is that The Times has the largest bona-fide circulation in Washington, A comparison of its sworn statement with that of the Star inquiry among the people will still further prove its correctness. There was a time when the Star could ride rough shod over the public and insolently fortunately for the good of Washington that day is no longerhere. Perhaps our evening contemporary is beginning to realize that fact.

THE TIMES has the largest circulation of any daily paper in the District of Columbia.

It is a fearless advocate of true re-form, has a constituency not reached by any other paper, and enters the homes of the best purchasing class of citizens in all parts of the District.

pion right and condemn wrong with out fear or favor, and releutlessly pure and expose crime and corruption nerever found.

Last week's average circula- lation, per day	36,860 13,401
Daily gain	23,459
The circulation of THE TIM	

Thursday, February 13. 38,477
Friday, February 14. 38,522
Saturday, February 15. 39,007
Sunday, February 16. 23,003

258,025 I solemnly swear that the above is a correct statement of the daily circulation of THE WASHINGTON TIMES for the week ended February 9, 1886, and that all the copies were actually sold or mailed for a valuable consideration and delivered to bons fide purchasers or subscribers; also that none of them were returned or

remain in the office undelivered. J. MILTON YOUNG, Cashler. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of February, A. D. 1894. ERNEST G. THOMPSON. Rolary Public. Abolish Jackson City Without Further Delay.

If the respectable element of Alexandria county have any regard for either their own welfare or the good name of their county they will no longer delay the enforcement of the law against the rum-holes and gambling dens of Jackson City. The tragedy of last night at that sheolstricken place calls for prompt action on the part of the Virginia authorities to prevent further repetition of such horrible scenes, and if these bribe-palsied officials continue to refuse to do their duty in destroying these hives of crime, then law-abiding citizens should take the reform in their own hands and drive both the offending officers and the desperadoes out of the county.

The only way to break up this Jackson City nest of thieves and scalawags is to stop the sale of liquor in that vicinity, and relentlessly prosecute any attempt to open speakeasies or gambling dens. The evil must be stamped out with an iron heel, and not handled with gloves and soft-spoken words. The men who keep it alive are the lowest types of civilization, and their brutish natures must be whipped into subjection in the same manner the savage instincts of a wild beast are cowed and made tractable. Until the criminals of Jackson City are dealt with as severely as the base character of their lawlessness demands they will continue their carnival of vice in defiance of law and good order.

Should the Maupin bill become a law it will remove one of the apologies for Jackson City. The Alexander Island outlaw track must necessarily be dropped out of existence, and a part of the rogues who pick up a living as followers of that fraud will either have to abandon their calling or leave the county. But there is no necessity of waiting for the enactment of the law to abolish Jackson City. Prompt action in annulling existing liquor licenses and a vigorous prosecution of lawless offenders would soon eradicate that villainous nest, and it is to be hoped that last night's murderous work will be the means of bringing it about.

Teach Law in the Public Schools.

experience, how the results aimed at may

Now, it is an indisputable assertion that

man is surrounded by the law and its opera-

tions, and yet not one man in ten has even

a faint conception of what it owes him and

what he owes it. The nine other men have

a sort of hazy idea that if they break

the law they will be punished, but beyond

that all is darkness, dense and impeneira-

ble. The public school ought to let in the

light, not in a strained, far-fetched way,

but in a natural, common-sense manne

The children should be taught the legal

principles that underlie the intercourse be-

ween man and man. When the history

esson is up, the Constitution of the United

States should be elucidated, and they made

to understand what it will require of them

as citizens, and the philosophy hour could

not be better employed than to instruct

them in those relations in which the law

The intelligent, painstaking teacher will

have no difficulty in interesting his or ber

populs in this elementary study of the law.

and in the higher grades extracts from

Blackstone and the simpler features of the law applicable to business transaction

might be brought in. It would be far bet-

ter to devote a part of the school time to

such instruction than to some studies which

are at least of doubtful practical value in

the imperfect form given to them.

places one man to his fellow-men.

best be brought about.

It is rather singular that none of our edu- 1 is simply a matter of opinion, based upon cators and moralists have urged that the elementary principles of law and their practical application to the everyday affairs of life should be taught in the public schools. In advancing the suggestion it is expected to arouse the opposition of those who hold that the public schools have fulfilled their mission. when they impart what is called a common English education, which means nothing more than the three R's, and possibly someothers also that may apprehend an undue expansion of the legitimate public school curriculum. To the first-named class. of course, no argument need beaddressed, for they are too narrow in their views to be convinced. The others, however, may be pen to conviction.

The proposition is not to add a law course to the studies in the public schools. Far from it. It is much to be feared that the plan of story in the higher grades of our schools is already top heavy and ornamen tal, rather than practical. The idea should be to give the pupils, both male and female, the education best calculated to fit them, so for as any school or system of teaching can do it. for the practical duties of life. When they leave school, they ought to be mentally so equipped as to readily adapt them selves, all natural conditions being equal. to whatever business pursuit, outside of the learned professions, they may choose to devote themselves. That much, according to the principles underlying our public school systems, the state owes the children, and i

Stop the Sandstorms.

fall to give heed to the recommendation of Col. Wilson, commissioner of public buildings and grounds, to rave the ellips and streets south of the State, War and Navy Departments building, so as to protect the beautiful new art gallery from the sandstorms which whirl about there now and then and form a vellow coating verifies this assertion, and an on that structure. Apart from this consideration, howeer, is the yet higher one tha prominent and much-frequented walks and driveways like those referred to should not be allowed to remain in the preposterous unfinished condition in which the now arc. Such a wilderness of dust and claim everything in sight, but dirt cannot be found in the immediate neighborhood of any great government building in any of the capitals of Europe. The massive grantic pile of the State, War and Navy Departments shows already

west front the ravages of the sand blasts and it is only a question of time when the new art gallery will present the same jaureliced appearance unless Congress appropriates the few thousand dollars neces sary to pave the streets in that vicinity ver which the United States exercises exclusive jurisdiction. It is one of the sur prises to foreigners visiting what we oast of as the most beautiful capital in the world to find any of the approaches to great government buildings and to an art gallery, both objective points of in crest to all sightseers, unpayed and in such ondition as are those here referred to. The expense involved in remedying this state of things is comparatively small and cannot be a stumbling block in the way of speedy Congressional action.

such a thing would happen, as Spain's ex

chequer is in no condition to warrant her

in entering upon a war which could have

no other conclusion than her defeat, and the

consequent payment by her of a big war

But there is more than mere speeches to

give hope to the Cuban leaders. Confer-

ences have taken place between the member

of the Foreign Affairs Committees of the

senate and House with a view to expedite

the passage in the latter body of the reso-

lation now under discussion in the upper

branch. It can be safely predicted that

the action of Congress will be of such a char

acter as to give substantial comfort to the

Cuban patriots, regardless of what course

The edicts sent forth by Gen. Weyler and

the terror which they, in the light of his

former rule, have evoked among the people

of Cuba have not failed of effect here, to

that they have strengthened the conviction

that the United States must do all that

lies in its power to stop the conflict in the

the President may take in regard to it.

It Looks Well For Cuba.

The cause of the Cuban insurgents has I made distinct progress Within the past few days so far as the Congress of the United States is concerned. Whatever difference of opinion exist regarding the recognition of the rebels as belligerents are more as to the form that recognition should take that as to the fact itself. There are some, whose spokesman in the Senate, is Mr. Cameron who would go even further and reques Spain to recognize Cuba's independence Inasmuch as such a request would be scorn fully rejected by Spain, it may be taken for granted that those who advocate it wish to use it simply as a pretext and basis for action on the part of the United States.

Judging from the tenor of the speeches in the Senate, the grave and reverend seigniors of that body fully appreciate the pos sible consequences of the recognition of Cuba by the United States, and are prepared to take them. The possible, though by no neans probable, consequences would be that Spain would declare war against the United States: at least, so Schator Morgan binks. It is not at all likely, however, that

The Raines hill has clouded a good many statesmanlike brows in the New York as-

Figuratively speaking, there will be ween ing, walling and grinding of teeth among a creain class of Republicans should their McKinley Bill fail to pass the St. Louis con

Said the future o'dest inhabitant: "!! 1896 winter was squaezed into a few days in Februare."

It should be understood that the antitights bill of Rising Sun Morse refers exclusively to something to drink.

Evidently Gen. Weyler proposes to kill considerable time talking about what he is going to do before he begins to make

While Secretary Carlisle is considering he advisability of acepting invitations to bankers' banquets, the dear public is won lering if they have any connection with

this country has no fear of the new come that is said to be headed in our direction.

If, unfortunately, Corbett's tongue should

Judging from the sensational reports that usually emanate from Chicago a highly colored snowstorm is a natural result.

ond issues.

After its tussic with the present Congress,

ecome paralyzed, his fighting qualities would be destroyed. If sheel is the arme of chaos, our venerable Senate still has the edge on that place

for confusion worse disordered.

HEARD BY THE SERIOUSLY HE Daughters of the American Rev

olution, however much they dislike newspaper reporters and newspaper otoriety, are good customers of the journals hemselves. Every morning and afternoon a newsboy may be seen standing in the door way of the caurch in which the convention s being held, with a bundle of papers under of his stock, some of the ladies giving him as high as ten cents apiece for them. It is surely an ill wind that blows nobody some

HAVE just returned from Kentucky and D don't consider Schator Blackburn's chances so desperate," said Mr. J. H. Lorin at the National inst night. "Since leaving there Secretary Carilsie's letter has been received, but the effect will hardly be us great as reported. Mr. Blackburn's friends were expecting just about such a communication, and therefore

were not surprised.
"I do not see any chance for Hunter, and hardly think any other Republican can win. Blackburn has a strong hold in Kentucky, notwithstanding his views on the inancial question."

T IS a hard matter to get shead of the streeturchin. To use a slang expression he is niways "up to souff" and never ets an opportunity pars to show his supe

riority.

The other evening a number of agents were giving away packages of a certain brand of eigareties. They were operating on Pennsylvania avenue and the small boy was very much in evidence. One little fellowin particular profited by the operation. He would receive a package of the eight ettes and then run ahead of the distributors Reaching a crowded part of the Avenue be would stop and hold out his hand for nother package. This was repeated all the way up to Fifteenth street, when one of the men caught on to the racket and ex posed the fraud. But it made no difference to the boy. He had eight or ten package n his pocket, enough to last him for a few

@ HARLES B. ASKINS of St. Louis to in the city. Mr. Askins is a trav eling man whose territory embrac whole of the United States.

"I get over a good deal of ground," he said last night, "and see many funny sights, but I do not think any of them can equathe spectacle of Congress giving an imitation of how not to do business.

"The way in which certain members of the Senate, who have heretofore dwell to gether in peace, are saying mean things about each other reminds me of a story they tell out in St. Louis about an Irish nan and a German. These men lived side by side, and both cultivated a small piece f ground, the gastlens being separated by fence. The trishman raised violets, for thich he always found a ready market, and the German grew vegetables. The two were good friends and frequently charted with each other over the fence

"One year the German planted a lot of mions alongside the fence near his neighbor's violet bed. The onions grew as only onions will, and soon the Irishman noticed a falling off in less violet trade. Business grew worse with him, and he wondered in vain at the cause, until one day he hap-pened to smell of a bunch of violets he had just gathered. The mystery was ex-plained. The flowers smelled strongly of nions. The two neighbors now do noth ing but abuse each other. It's the same way in the Senate. The silver and gold eds were planted too near together. The odor of one offsets the other's, and the vners are engaged in a perpetual warfare

of above.

Beste supply reverting to the adding of our American presents, the aborigines," said a well-known rashington physician last to ride a bicycle, in an "If we c other century, perhaps in half a century, we shall all become us pigeontoed as the by if Hurons or Senecas that it if through the heart of a constime past I have made one time past I have made ever walke time past I have made for. It began with my own the first three or four times this matte

I rode a besset I was learning and had so many new susations that the subject of fees never pare me a moment's thought. "One day penaps a week after I had become sufficiently master of the machine not to run over a dog on the other side of the road, I felt a peculiar numbness in my toes. This feeling continuing, I looked down at my feet and found that I was sitting on my bicycle with my toes describing the lines of an acute angle whose apex was not more than two feet from the from wheel of the machine. I observed other riders, and found that every one who passed

one position, and the rider shifts it a little. Ninety-nine times out of one hundred be the foot so that the pedal is nearer and nearer to the ends of the toes.

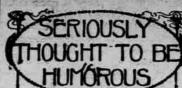
"Now, the nearer the toes get to the pedal the more pigeontoed you will become If you try to ride a wheel by using the toe alone you will be surprised to see that you cannot keep it going more than a minute or two without having your feet turn in amazingly. At least that is my experience and the result of my observa ion. This, in part, is due to the fact that you try to evade the point where the pedal is fixed to the wheel and thus save scraping your ankle. Often there are con-

"So far as men are concerned, I am firmly of the opinion that all who try to ride a bicycle in long trousers pave the way for becoming pigeontoed. Of course, that doesn't apply to the ladies. Women are prone to ride with their toes turned in because of the shape of their legs and the further fact that few of them are seated properly upon their wheels."

Gold Excitement in Oklahoma. Perry, O. T., Feb. 21.—Excitement over he recent gold finds near here continu Hundreds of people have visited the place and a large company has been formed here to work the mines. Experts say the vein of quartz is five feet thick and will assay over \$400 to the ton. Business men and rmers have quit business and gone to rospecting.

Susan B's Seventy-sixth Birthday. Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 21.-Miss Sus inthony, who leaves in a day or so for California, was tradered a reception by 200 of her admirers at the home of Dr. Linn last evening. The occasion was also the cele-bration of Miss Anthony's seventy-sixth

The crew are endcavoring to extinguish the flames by injecting atem into her hold and are being assisted in their efforts by streams of whter from shore pumps.



Merely a Suggestion.

We merely offer Dan Stuart the suggestion that be might investigate the availability of the planet Saturn as a place to pull off the Matier-Pitzsimmons mill. We have it on good authority that they have

Two Little Girls in Blue. (With variations.) A Western cyclone swept the plain As clean as a broom brand new;

Of the golden sunset's buc:

An Unintentional Pun. A contemporary heads an article detail-ing a physician's fatal blunder as "A Grave Offense.'

But He Owed Scadds "I owe nothing to my parents," said Gadds, fatuously, as he was descenting on "I certainly eavy them," said Scadds,

A Conundrum abled to see what's in your opponent

Apent the 22d of February Now, Mars George Washington.

guishing eyes! Your cheeks are as soft as a June day'

Your lips share the tint of a full-blow Like an image, your classical face. our smile would melt a heart of stone;

sweet Nellie-I wish I could use Margue

For if truth I would tell. I hate the name Nell; But I saw by my thyming dictionary,

To rhyme Marguerite was a hard task, And so I chose Nellie my idol, my love, As pure and as good as the angels above

What eestasy more than your own loving My heart with emotion is thrilled.

my arms, For life then with sunshine is filled.

EPITOME OF THE NEWS

If you miss any news in the evening edition fook in the list below. What you're looking for was probably published in this morning's edition, and as The Times never repeats you'll have to take both editions to get all the news as quick as it hap-

IXING THE GUIANA LINE-London Papers Say the Arburation Move-ment Is Unofficial.

RICARD IS THEIR TARGET— French Deputies Make Violent Attacks on the Minister. FIGHT BEFORE BUNDOWN-Sports Leave El Paso for a Mysteriou Destination.

THROWN BY A CABLE CAR-

BILL NYE IS NO BETTER-He is Still Lying Unconscious, and Death ONE KILLED IN A RAID— Bailets Greeted Sheriff Palmer's Depu ties at Jackson City.

O MANAGE THE CAMPAIGN

REBELS FIRED THE TOWN—
Weyler Dispatched Troops to Jaruco in
Hot Haste. COLDEST OF THE WINTER— Mercary Lowered Its Own Record Late Last Night.

FAVOR CUBAN PREEDOM-

VICTORY FOR MAUPIN BILL-Nine to Four.

McKINLEY'S BOOM ON-Mr. Wilson Started the Campaign in PAIR VISITORS ENTERTAINED-

everal Receptions Among Daughters of the Revolution. JOB TOO MUCH FOR THEM— Daughters Failed to Complete the Ele-tion of Officers.

THESE THE LUCKY ONES—
Many Brew Prizes Last Night at the
Temple Fair.

Most General. LIFE INSURANCE PRACTICE— Interesting Decision Made by Justice Bundy on a Policy.

Observance of the Twenty-second Will Be

Opinions Given Concerning THREE YEARS AT ALBANY— Midred Farrell Convicted of Killing Twin Babies.

HELD UP BY NEW WOMEN— Senate Committee Will Keep Back a Fa vorable Report. PLENTY OF TOY THEATERS

If you were among the hundred disappointed last Sunday in not get ting a toy theater base apply at The Times office. A plentiful supply of he attractive toys has been see and you will need one to mount "Lit-tle Red Riding Hood" on Sunday.

Fit. Our clothes fit your pecketbook as well as your person. No lower prices in GARNER & Co. Outfitters. N. E. Cor. 7th & fl Sta. N. W.



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though he never lived here. And his home and his grave, around which all his story dustered, were next door to us clustered, were next door to us.

He wanted the children to think of Washington as a real man and not a fairy-tale hero—a man of like passions and temptations with other men, and yet with such faith in God and such love for country as gave him noble purposes and enabled him to carry them out.

He was a worker, not a dreamer, a man who did great things by doing his duty daily, and who, whatever his faults may have been, was never a coward nor a shirk. He

been, was never a coward nor a shirk. He was, of course, a great man, if not a genius, but then God gave him a great work to do.

AN PLOOUENT ADDRESS. The oration of Hon. James F. Stewart, Congressman from New Jersey, this afternoon at Pierce School was one of the most eloquent of the day.

The exercises were presided over by Dr. A. P. Fardon, who introduced the Congressman. Mr. Stewart said in part:

"We next on this covarion between the

We meet on this occasion between the we meet on this occasion between the matal days of two of the greatest men the world has produced—Washington and Lin-cola. How the young hear; should swell with gratitude and pride at the remem-brance of the two mighty men. The inspir-ation of both the great lives was the love

of country-patriotism. This was the vir-tue which directed all their actions, the source of their loftiest power.

"Remember that you can take no abiding place in the history of your country, or in the hearts of its clizens, without an unbounded love of country. Rascals and time bounded love of country. Rascals and time servers may flourish for a time, but when they fall their fall is like that of Lucifer, never to rise again. In these great public schools are formed the manhood and wo-manhood that is to make or mar the future of this great nation. See to it, then, that your daily growth and development is sed upon lines of approval by your cor

MR. ROSS' WORDS. Commissioner Ross spoke at the Denni-son School building, Mr. C. W. Needham

presiding.

"I know of no persons in all the world more to be envied than those who compose that great body of American youth who are so well represented here today—the boys and the girls who will be American citizens at or near the dawn of the twentieth environment.

"At no other period since our history began were such opportunities presented for growth and development in all that makes humanity better and wiser.

"Discoveries in science and in the arts, the better knowledge of the laws of health, the diffusion of general learning among the masses of the people, a better appre-ciation of the dignity of labor and of the rights of the laborer, all tend to signali the cra in which you will attain maturity as one of golden opportunity. "We celebrate today the anniversary of

Washington's birthday. But our praises of his virtues count for nothing if our hearts be not filled with a spirit of loyalty to the principles of that Constitution which he helped to frame. He honors Washington most who is truest to the principles which se sought to maintain. He is not a trru follower of Washington who seeks to bring into contempt and ridicule any of the great co-ordinate branches of that general government which was made possible by

his genius and his heroism. "May you grow up to be worthy and law-abiling American citizens, always realiz-ing the truth that the blessings of civil and religious liberty which you enjoy are your heritage, as the descendants of the heroes who fought with Washington in the days of the American revolution

WOMAN'S SHARE. The address at the colored high school today was delivered by Mrs. Clara Colby, editor of the Woman's Tribune. Mrs. Colby

said, in part: "It was due, no doubt, to the demands of such women as Abigali Adams, who wrote to her husband when he was in the consti-tutional convention. Be sure you don't for-get the women, or we'll brew a storm over

tational convention. Be sure you don't forget the women, or we'll brew a storm over your head in every teapor of the land, that the framers of that immerial document expressed the rights of man in the most generic and all-embracing terms, leaving the way open for the wider application of the principle as time advanced."

At Jackson School Henry T. Blount presided, and introduced Maj. J. W. Powell, who said:

"Great men come to represent great principles. Washington is thus held to represent the founding of the government of this great republic, and the war of the Revolution, by which it was established. He is also held to represent the founding of the government of the saio held to represent the principle of personal liberty."

Maj. Powell explained to the pupils the origin of the government and the important part taken by Washington in its formation. He said personal liberty was the germ of the characteristics which had led our nation on to the greatness it has achieved. The day was appropriately observed in the other graded schools as follows:

First Division, Franklin Building-Presiding officer, T. A. Lambett, speaker, Rev. Teunis S. Hamlin, D. D.

Webster School-Presiding officer, William A. Meloy, and the address was delivered by Maj. George H. Barries.

Blake building-Speaker, W. J. Newton. Third division, Wallach building-Presiding officer, N. G. Ordway; speaker, S. S. Yoder.

Peabody building-Presiding officer, Tracey L. Jeffords; speaker, M. A. Croffut.

Brent building-Speaker, M. I. Wester.

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Plark. Fourth division, Jefferson building-Presiding officer, Dr. D. H. Hazen; speaker, Otis T. Mason. Fifth division, Addison building-Presiding officer, Archibald Greenless; speaker,

siding officer, Archibald Greenices; speaker,
Henry L. West.
Sixth Division—At Monroe School building, M. A. Ballinger officiated, and the
scholars listened to an address by Hon. Samuel M. Clark, of Iowa.
Brookland School—Presiding officer, Chas.
K. Finckel; speaker, Dr. Frank T. Howe.
Brightwood School—Presiding officer, Dr.
Charles G. Stene; speaker, J. D. Croissant,
Van Buren school building—Presiding ofGest. M. A. Grigwold. floer. H. A. Griswold.

Mott building—Speaker. Dr. Furman J. Much interest was manifested in the ex-ruises throughout the schools.

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nurket was 'way down-we bought

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Miss Margaret Elchhorn, Contrait
Mr. Wm. D. McFarland, Tenor;
Mr. Frank A. Robstock, Brass;
Mr. Herman Bakemann, Violinist
Washington Frangerbund
(5) male voices),
Donch's Orchestra.
(10 performers).
Concert under direction of
MR. WHALIAM WALDECKE.

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CROCKER'S. the largest rings there of any place in the BIG CUTS

ON ALL OUR The ranchman's door was rent in twain, BIG COATS Just When two little girls in blew.

since that wind she could only find A few little curis in lieu.

"Why is a game of poker with a ten dollar limit like tile Roentgen light?" "Because with an X raise you are en

sholy er mighty likely man," said Uncle Rasbury, patriotically. "He was first in wah: dat shows he was er powerful good crapper. 'N he was first in peace; dat shows be was er great fam'bly-man. 'N he was first in de bearts ob his country men. Well, now, dat-hit shows he was jus

A Regret.
Oh, ravishing-Neille, we'll say for th meter. Though to me Marguerite would sound

vastly sweeter In a style a la mode. 'il thus fair Nellie apostrophize; What a wealth of bair! Oh, what lan

Your breath's like the odor of violen blown; Your manners, incomparable grace.

And still have the feet and the rhythm com

What ineffable joy! Ob, what heavenly

Care, worry and sorrow possess no alarms wheat flood you, dear girl, folded close in

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ne was inclined to be more or less pigeontoed. Especially was this the case with ladies "My theory of the matter is this," continged the doctor. "Bicycle riders are in structed to use the ball of the foot on the nedal. The heel is never to be employed Were the heel to be pressed on the pedal, exactly the opposite would result and the feet would be inclined to strike out at right angles. By and by the foot gets tired in

siderable dirt and grease around the pedal at that point, and no rider wants to ruin

Fire in the Hold
London, Feb. 21.—The British steamer
Missouri, Capi, Browne, from London, February 19, for Philadelphia, has put into
Falmouth with life in her No. 3 lower hold.